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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Office Action has been carefully considered. The issues raised are traversed and addressed below with reference to the relevant headings and paragraph numbers appearing under the Detailed Action of the Office Action.

The Applicant has amended Page 2 of the specification to correct a typographical error pertaining to one granted patent number. The Applicant submits that this amendment introduces no new matter.

Allowable Subject Matter

In view of the Examiner's indication that the subject matter of 7 and 23 is allowable, claims 1 and 18 have now been restricted to incorporate this subject matter. Additionally, the claim has been revised to clarify that the sensing may be performed with at least one code sensor. A basis for this can be found on page 9, line 14, which discusses the use of one or more code sensors 1024.

In view of this we believe that the application is now in order for allowance.

In light of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the objections and claim rejections have been successfully traversed and addressed. The amendments do not involve adding any information that was not already disclosed in the specification, and therefore no new matter is added. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that the claims 1 to 25, and the application as a whole with these claims, are allowable, and a favourable reconsideration is therefore earnestly solicited.

Very respectfully,

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